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7?3:5: ISRAELI-IRANIAN COOPERATION IN ARMS PRODUCTION

FOR THE AMBASSADOR FROM THE SECRETARY

1. THE ISRAELIS HAVE RAISED WITH US THEIR STRONG DESIRE FOR ISRAELI-
IRANIAN COOPERATION IN THE AREA OF ARMS DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION.
IN OUR CONVERSATIONS CONCERNING THIS MATTER, I SAID THAT WE WERE NOT
OPPOSED IN PRINCIPLE TO JOINT DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES.
#923;34, I TOLD THE ISRAELIS THAT WE WOULD WANT TO DISCUSS THE
SPECIFICS

OF ISRAELI-IRANIAN COOPERATION AGREEMENTS ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS

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WHERE THE DEVELOPMENT OR PRODUCTION OF SENSITIVE ITEMS WERE INVOLVED.

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DEVELOPE A LONG-RANGE SURFACE-TO - SURFACE MISSILE FOR THE IRANIANS.

2. WE WILL BE DISCUSSING THESE MATTERS FURTHER WITH ISRAELI DEFENSE
OFFICIALS IN THE COMING MONTHS. THE ISRAELIS HAVE TOLD US
OF CONVERSATION ON THE SUBJECT AT THE HIGHEST GOVERNMENT LEVELS.

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ISRAELIS. THEREFORE, IN YOUR NEXT CONVERSATION THE THE SHAH INFORM
HIM OF MY CONVERSATIONS IN JERUSALEM AND THE ESSENTIAL FACT
THT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WILL NOT OPPOSE, IN PRINCIPLE, JOINT
ISRAELI-IRANIAN COOPERATION IN ARMS DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION,
ALTHOUGH WE WILL INSIST ON THE RIGHT TO REVIEW SENSITIVE ITEMS
ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS. VANCE UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER

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